

STATE OF MAINE.

COUNTY OF PENOBSCOT, ss. at a Circuit Court of Common Pleas. begun & holden at Bangor within & of said County on the fourth Tuesday of June 1820
ON this 27 day of June in the year

of our Lord eighteen hundred and twenty, personally appeared in open court, being a court of record within and for said County and State of Maine, established by a law of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, made and passed on the eleventh day of June, A. D.

1811, and recognized by the Constitution of the State of Maine having power of fine & imprisonment, Ruben Nickerson aged, sixty three years, resident in Hampden in said County of Penobscot, who being first duly sworn according to law, doth, on his oath, declare that he served in the Revolutionary war as follows:

In 1776 I enlisted as a private soldier for nine months & served in the Company commanded by Capt. George Webb in the Regiment under the command of Col. William Sheppard in the Massachusetts line in the continental establishment - All which is more particularly set forth in my original declaration made on the eleventh day of April 1818 on which declaration my certificate of pension Numbered 16645 was granted.

AND I Ruben Nickerson do solemnly swear, that I was a resident citizen of the United States on the eighteenth day of March one thousand eight hundred and eighteen, and that I have not since that time, by gift, sale, or in any manner whatever, disposed of my property, or any part thereof, with intent thereby so to diminish it as to bring myself within the provisions of an act of Congress, entitled "An act to provide for certain persons engaged in the land and naval service of the United States in the Revolutionary War," passed on the eighteenth day of March one thousand eight hundred and eighteen, and that I have not, nor has any person in trust for me, any property or securities, contracts or debts, due to me: nor have I any income, other than what is contained in the schedule hereto annexed, and by me subscribed. Ruben Nickerson

I am by occupation an husbandman but am not able to pursue it but to a small degree by reason of the infirmities of age & a broken constitution - I have no other family than my wife who is sixty two years old & very feeble I have no Real Estate - My Personal Estate consists of one Cow - one Swine - one small fishing boat
Ruben Nickerson

Sworn to and declared on the twenty seventh day of June A.D. 1820, before the Court
At. Tho. Cobb Clk.

I, THOMAS COBB, Clerk of the Circuit Court of Common Pleas, for the Third Eastern Circuit, in the County of Penobscot and State of Maine, do hereby certify that the foregoing oath and the schedule thereto annexed, are truly copied from the records of the said Court: And I do further certify, that it is the opinion of the said Court, that the total amount in value of the property exhibited in the aforesaid schedule, is fifty three dollars and cents.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand, and affixed the seal of the said Court, on this day of

A.D. 1820.

Penobscot Co. C. C. Pleas at Bangor, June Term, A.D. 1820.
And now, after mature consideration, the Court are of opinion that the total amount in value of the property exhibited in the aforesaid schedule, is fifty three dollars. At. Tho. Cobb Clk.